

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Please write the U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Placement and Administration Attn: Phyllis Morgan, HR-561.22 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of Energy has determined in accordance with 10 CFR

600.7(b)(2)(i)(A) and (B), that the application submitted by FIU is for an activity which is necessary to the satisfactory completion of, and is a continuation of an activity presently being funded by DOE for which competition for support would have a significant adverse effect on continuity or completion of the activity; the activity is being conducted by FIU using its own resources and DOE support of this activity will enhance the public benefits to be derived; and DOE knows of no other entity which is conducting or planning to conduct such an activity. The proposed effort is to: (1) Further develop and expand the environmental research and education capabilities at FIU's HCET; (2) initiate new, as well as continue to develop already existing, cooperative research efforts with other major universities (including a number of Historically Black Colleges and Universities); (3) increase the number of minority students pursuing undergraduate and graduate degrees in environmental related disciplines; and (4) increase the scientific knowledge base in the environmental arena, with particular emphasis on energy related environmental restoration and waste management technology research and development.

John M. Albers,

Contracting Officer, Office of Placement and Administration.

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Environmental Management Advisory Board

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770), notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting:

Name: Environmental Management Advisory Board, formerly Utilized Site Remedial Action Program Committee.

Date and Times: Tuesday, August 22, 1995 from 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Wednesday, August 23, 1995 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Place: Holiday Inn Grand Island Resort & Conference Center, 100

Whitehaven Road, Grand Island, NY 14072, (716) 773-1111.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

James T. Melillo, Executive Director, Environmental Management Advisory Board, EM-5, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-4400. The Internet address is: James.Melillo@em.doe.gov

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Purpose of the Board**

The purpose of the Board is to provide the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management (EM) with advice and recommendations on issues confronting the Environmental Management program and the Programmatic Environmental Management Impact Statement, from the perspectives of affected groups and State and local Governments. The Board will help to improve the Environmental Management Program by assisting in the process of securing consensus recommendations, and providing the Department's numerous publics with opportunities to express their opinions regarding the Environmental Management Program including the Formerly Utilized Site Remedial Action Program.

Tentative Agenda

Tuesday, August 22, 1995

11:30 a.m. Chairman Opens Public Meeting
Overview of Activities and Findings from the June 20-21, 1995 Committee meeting in St. Louis, MO and Discussion of Remaining Issues
12:30 p.m.—Lunch
1:30 p.m.—Presentation on Applicability of Ore Recovery Methods as Potential Treatment Technology
2:00 p.m.—Presentation of Issue Papers—Residues; Land Use; Community Options on Land Use and EPA Standards Coordination
4:15 p.m.—Committee/ Public Discussion of Issues
5:00 p.m.—Break for Dinner
7:00 p.m.—Public Comment Session
8:00 p.m.—Meeting Adjourns

Wednesday, August 23, 1995
8:00 a.m.—Chairman Reconvenes Public Meeting
8:05 a.m.—Continued Discussion on Treatment and Land Use Issues
12:00 p.m.—Lunch
1:00 p.m.—Discussion of Potential Guiding Principles
3:30 p.m.—Committee Business
5:00 p.m.—Meeting Adjourns

A final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation

The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact James T. Melillo at the address or telephone number listed above. Individuals wishing to orally address the Committee during the public comment session should call (800) 736-3282 and leave a message. Individuals may also register on August 22, 1995 at the meeting site. Every effort will be made to hear all those wishing to speak to the Committee, on a first come, first serve basis. Those who call in and reserve time will be given the opportunity to speak first. The Chairman is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business.

Transcripts and Minutes

Meeting minutes will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued at Washington, DC on August 2, 1995

Rachel Murphy Samuel,

Acting Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. RM95-8-000, RM 94-7-001]

Promoting Wholesale Competition Through Open Access Non-Discriminatory Transmission Services by Public Utilities; Recovery of Stranded Costs by Public Utilities and Transmitting Utilities; Notice of Public Scoping Meeting

August 1, 1995.

The Commission staff will hold a public meeting in this proceeding on September 8, 1995, to discuss the scope of the proposed environmental impact statement (EIS) as described in the Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NOPR) and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues (NOI) issued July 12, 1995. The meeting will begin at 10:00 a.m., in Hearing Room 1, at 810 First Street NE., Washington, D.C.

Any person who wishes to make a formal presentation should submit a request to the Secretary of the Commission no later than September 5, 1995. The presentation is to be limited to the environmental issues associated with the NOPR, and is not to be used as a forum to address the merits of the NOPR. Each request should include the time anticipated for the presentation and any special equipment requirements. Every effort will be made to accommodate requests to make presentations, but, depending on the number of requests received, each presentation may have to be limited to 5 minutes. To provide a more productive conference, those with similar views are encouraged to coordinate their efforts and choose one spokesperson to make a statement on behalf of the group. Also, speakers are encouraged to prepare written "Executive Summaries" for presentation at the September 8, 1995 meeting. An official transcript will be made of the public meeting to accurately record all comments.

Please take notice that all written scoping comments and relevant studies or reports on the proposed EIS still need to be filed with the Commission on or before August 11, 1995, as directed in the NOI. In addition, commenters are asked to submit their written comments on a 3½-inch diskette formatted for MS-DOS based computers. In light of our ability to translate MS-DOS based materials, the text need only be submitted in the format and version that it was generated (i.e., MS Word, WordPerfect, ASCII, etc.). It is not necessary to reformat word processor generated text to ASCII. For Macintosh users, it would be helpful to save the documents in Macintosh word processor format and then write them to files on a diskette formatted for MS-DOS machines.

Send all written comments, diskettes, and requests to speak at the meeting to:

- Office of the Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 825 North Capitol Street NE., Washington, D.C. 20426; and
- Refer to Docket Nos. RM95-8-000 and RM94-7-001.

Also send a copy of the written scoping comments to:

- Leon Lowery, Office of Electric Power Regulation, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 825 North Capitol Street NE., Washington, D.C. 20426, Telephone: (202) 208-0919, Fax: (202) 208-0180.

All written comments will be available for public inspection or copying in the Commission's Public Reference and Files Maintenance

Branch, Room 3104, 941 North Capitol Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, or call (202) 208-1371. All comments filed on diskettes will be available on the Commission Issuance Posting System (CIPS). CIPS is an electronic bulletin board service which provides access to the text of formal documents issued by the Commission. CIPS is available at no charge to the user and may be accessed using a personal computer with a modem by dialing (202) 208-1397. To access CIPS, set your communications software to 19200, 14400, 12000, 9600, 7200, 4800, 2400, or 1200 bps, full duplex, no parity, 8 data bits and 1 stop bit.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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[Docket No. CP95-647-000]

Crossroads Pipeline Company; Notice of Application for a Blanket Certificate

August 1, 1995.

Take notice that on July 28, 1995, Crossroads Pipeline Company (Crossroads), 801 East 86th Avenue, Merrillville, Indiana 46410, filed in Docket No. CP95-647-000 an application pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act and Subpart F of Part 157 of the Commission's Regulations for a blanket certificate of public convenience and necessity, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Crossroads states that it was granted certificate authority to operate as a natural gas company subject to the Commission's Regulations pursuant to the Natural Gas Act in Docket No. CP94-342-000. Crossroads further states that as a natural gas company providing the interstate transportation of natural gas subject to regulation by the Commission, it will be required to engage in the routine activities of Subpart F. In addition, Crossroads states that it does not hold any outstanding budget-type certificates issued under § 157.7, it will comply with the terms, conditions, and procedures specified in subpart F, §§ 157.201-257.218, there are currently no effective rate schedules which would apply to any interstate service authorized by § 157.210 or § 157.213, and there are no on-going storage field tests commenced under a budget-type certificate issued under § 157.7(d).

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before August

22, 1995, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate is required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Crossroads to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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Distrigas of Massachusetts Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

August 1, 1995.

Take notice that on July 27, 1995, Distrigas of Massachusetts Corporation (DOMAC), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets, to be effective September 1, 1995.

Second Revised Sheet No. 75
First Revised Sheet No. 75-A
First Revised Sheet No. 76
Original Sheet No. 76-A
First Revised Sheet No. 79
First Revised Sheet No. 80
Original Sheet No. 80-A